

Whittier Law School
Class of 2009 Employment Report

Conducted November 2009 through mid February 2010
Compiled in accordance with the
National Association for Law Placement Employment Report and Salary Survey

Total Graduates:	151	
Male:	72	47.7%
Female:	79	52.3%
Minority Representation:	34.4%	

TOTAL RESPONDENTS: 150

RESPONSE RATE: 99.3%

ANALYSIS OF SURVEY RESPONSE

The statistics in the following section are based on 150 **survey respondents**.

<u># Respondents</u>	<u>Percentage</u>	
125	83.3%	Employed
6	6.0%	Pursuing Degree Full time

TOTAL EMPLOYED OR IN DEGREE PROGRAMS: 89.3%

6	4.0%	Unemployed but not seeking work
10	6.7%	Unemployed and seeking work

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT

The statistics in this section are based on 125 employed respondents who provided information.

Private Practice

Total: 62.4%

10.3%	Solo Practice
73.1	Very Small Firm (2-10)
6.4	Small Firm (11-25)
5.1	Medium Firm (26-50)
1.3	Large Firm (51-200)
0.0	Large Firm (101-250)
1.3	Large Firm (251-500)
2.6	Large Firm (501+)

Business & Industry

Total: 26.4%

3.0%	Accounting
6.1	Banking/finance
12..1	Entertainment/sports management
12.1	Insurance
3.0	Management consulting
3.0	Publishing/newspaper
6.1	Technology/e-commerce
3.0	Legal temporary agency
51.5	Other business

Government

Total: 4.8%

16.7%	Military
16.7	Federal other
33.3	Local prosecutor/DA
33.3	Other government local

Judicial Clerkship

Total: 0.8%

100%	Federal Court
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Public Interest

Total: 4.8%

16.7%	Policy/advocacy
50.0	Community education/organization
16.7	Legal services
16.7	Other

Academic

Total: 0.8%

	Law School Administration
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SALARY INFORMATION

The statistics in this section are based on 47 respondents who provided information.

Salary Range for Private Sector

25th Percentile: \$60,000 Median: \$65,000 75th Percentile: \$75,000

Salary Range for Public Sector

25th Percentile: \$54,000 Median: \$57,000 75th Percentile: \$72,500

Salary for Private Practice

25th Percentile: \$60,000 Median: \$65,000 75th Percentile: \$74,500

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

(Based on Employment Distribution)

Middle Atlantic (NY)	0.8%
East North Central (IL, OH)	1.6%
West North Central (KS)	0.8%
South Atlantic (GA, VA)	2.9%
Mountain (AZ, CO, NV)	4.0%
Pacific (CA, WA)	90.4%

In-State	88.8%
Out of State	11.2%